

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 466

By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Keith Alan Waters, 2007
Salutatorian of Big Sandy High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Keith Alan Waters is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2007 graduating class at Big Sandy High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Keith Waters has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Waters has earned an exemplary 3.977 grade point average, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Art Club; Congressional Art Show; Murray State ATMS Programs; Youth Leadership, which he has served as Treasurer; Beta Club, which he has served as President; Spanish III Club; Biology II Club; yearbook staff; prom committee; History Club; and National Society of High School Scholars; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Keith Waters has received such honors as Most Likely to Succeed, U.S. Achievement Academy Foreign Language Award, Most Outstanding Spanish I, Most Outstanding Chemistry, Most Dependable, and Most Outstanding English II Student; he has also been named to the National Honor Roll and *Who's Who Among American High School Students* and has been elected Class Treasurer; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Waters's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success at Murray State University, where he plans to major in Business; and

WHEREAS, Keith's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Kendall and Sheila Waters, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Waters's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2007 Big Sandy High School Salutatorian, Keith Alan Waters, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.